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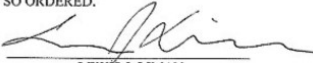
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**MEMORANDUM
ENDORSED.**

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SO ORDERED.


LEWIS J. LIMAN
United States District Judge

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VIA ECF

The Hon. Lewis J. Liman
U.S. District Court Judge
Southern District of New York
500 Pearl St., Rm. 701
New York, NY 10007

Re: Malzberg v. New York University, No. 1:19-cv-10048 (LL)

Dear Judge Liman:

This firm represents the Plaintiff in the above-captioned matter. I write on behalf of both parties pursuant to this Court's January 19, 2021 Order requiring the parties to provide a status update by January 21, 2021. ECF no. 47.

The parties participated in a mediation session on January 13, 2021, which did not result in a settlement. As it turns out, the parties continue to attempt to resolve this matter. Our progress has been hampered by certain personal circumstances of the Plaintiff that stalled the negotiations for a few days. Given the time, expenses and resources the parties will expend if this litigation is not resolved—in the near term, expert discovery and a motion for summary judgment—the parties would like additional time to attempt to settle the case and would like to provide the Court with a final status update no later than February 4, 2021.

Both parties thank the Court for its consideration of this request.

Respectfully yours,

/s/ Scott Simpson
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